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TONIC, RESTORATIVE, DIGESTIVE WINE
Very palatable.Known throughout the world and prescribed in all cases of
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RemedyTime was when disease was thought to be due
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FRUIT SALTis the approved remedy for driving out disease
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R. KATO,
Manager,
No. 2, PRINCE STREET,
HONGKONG.PEAK TRAMWAYS COMPANY
LIMITED.NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the
ORDINARY ANNUAL GENERAL
MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS of the
above Company will be held at the
BOWKINS HOTEL, Hongkong, on WED-
NESDAY, 27th May, 1914, at noon for
the purpose of receiving the Report of
the Directors together with a Statement
of Accounts for the year ending 30th
April, 1914.The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-
pany will be CLOSED from the 23rd inst.
to the 3rd inst. both days inclusive.J. H. D. HUMPHREYS & SON,
General Managers.
Hongkong, May 18, 1914.

THE "STAR" FERRY CO., LTD.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the
SEVENTH ORDINARY
ANNUAL MEETING of this Company
will be held at the office of Messrs.
JARDINE MATHEW & Co., Ltd. on
THURSDAY, the 28th May at 12.30 p.m.
for the purpose of receiving the Report
of the Directors together with a statement
of accounts to 30th April, 1914.The REGISTER OF SHARES of the
Company will be CLOSED from SATUR-
DAY, 2nd to THURSDAY, 28th instant
inclusive.By Order of the Board of Directors,
W. S. BROWN,
Secretary.

Hongkong, May 16, 1914.

DAIRY FARM NEWS.

BUTTER. BUTTER.

WE HAVE RECEIVED A

NEW SHIPMENT OF

DAISY BUTTER

Absolutely the best table butter
in the Colony.

PATELL & CO.

Exporters & Importers

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and

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HONGKONG, CANTON.

SHANGHAI AND

HANKOW.

Don't forget after tea, Supper,
and Light Refreshments
ALEXANDRIA CAFE
Open till Midnight

LANCASTER HOUSE.

ROUND AND ABOUT LONDON
MUSEUM.

Historic Memories.

(By Guy Francis Laking in "The
Times" Weekly.)The old London map-makers of the
16th century affected a certain heading
for their maps or plans; it ran some-
thing like this:—"Survey of Plans of
the Cities of London and Westminster
and the Borough of Southwark," and
it may be that the boundaries of the
two cities were then better understood
than now. But certainly this is a point
on which among ordinary folks the
greatest haziness prevails. What would
be the replies of the majority of the in-
terviewed if questioned as to their know-
ledge of dividing lines?—"Oh, West-
minster is, of course, the other side of
the water opposite to London." Very
good, indeed, on the principle of the
crab definition "a red fish that walks
sideways" and quite in accordance with
supposed analogies—Manchester and Sal-
ford, Newcastle and Gateshead, Staines
and Egham, Poughmore and Whitechapel,
and many more cases where a river is
the dividing line between towns and
sometimes counties as well.Then the next reply shall be—"Oh,
just round the Abbey, you know." Pos-
sibly! And so on, in varying degrees of
ignorance until the one rightly informed
witness says—"I know that when I am
walking on the south side of Oxford
street, I am in the City of Westminster." This
is not at all the fault of the direct-
ing powers; they supply full informa-
tion on their street tablets, but, sup-
posing we consult them at all, the name
of the street is what we want for our
immediate purposes and we do not trou-
ble further.Well, then, after this explanation,
no one can be surprised to hear that our
Museum of London is housed in the
very heart of the City of Westminster,
in Lancaster (late Stafford) House."But where is that?" is asked in
fervent amazement by dwellers in
Jeddo (as in Oxford) or in Meibitz (as
in Berlin) right away on the other side
of our great city. One might have sup-
posed that, to begin with, St. James's
Palace would be a safe card to play.
Not at all! Many "intelligent" tradesmen
have so lived for their businesses in
Eastern suburbs as not to know where
the Palace with its proud title, "Our
Court of St. James," is, echoing round
the world, is situated. Happily the week-
ly holiday afternoon, of which they prac-
tically all approve, is going to remove
any such reproach.A HIDDEN SITE.
But when it comes to Stafford House
(now Lancaster House), no one knows
that. Naturally, too, for it is practically
in a "cul de sac" of its own, although
known only as a Stable-yard, and so
wrapped round in aristocratic exclusiveness.COUGHING INTO
CONSUMPTION"Only a Cough" but you stop
while it is ONLY a cough.WATERBURY'S
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Hongkong, Dec. 2, 1913

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THE OLD STAR FERRY WHARF
at the end of Salisbury Road,
Kowloon, will be opened to the Public
from FRIDAY, the 22nd inst.
The Wooden Pier at the North end of
Canton Road, Kowloon, generally known
as the "POLICE PIER" will be CLOSED
to the Public on and after FRIDAY, the
29th inst.A. CHURCHILL,
Director of Public Works.Public Works Office,
Hongkong, May 19, 1914.

LEE AND COMPANY.

THE Creditors of the abovesigned
Firm are required, on or before
SATURDAY, the 23rd of May, 1914, to
send their names and addresses, and
particulars of their debts or claims to the
Undersigned, the Receiver and Manager
of the said Firm.J. HENNESSEY SETH,
Receiver and Manager.

Hongkong, May 12, 1914.

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In good condition. Send offers to
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SMART HATS

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ALSO

Ready Made Dresses.

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WEEK DAYS.

1.00 a.m. to 8.00 a.m. Every 15 minutes

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10.00 a.m. to 11.00 a.m. Every 15 minutes

11.00 a.m. to 12.45 p.m. Every 15 minutes

12.45 p.m. to 1.15 p.m. Every 15 minutes

1.15 p.m. to 1.45 p.m. Every 15 minutes

1.45 p.m. to 2.15 p.m. Every 15 minutes

2.15 p.m. to 5.00 p.m. Every 15 minutes

5.00 p.m. to 8.10 p.m. Every 10 minutes.

SUNDAYS.

8.00 a.m. to 10.30 a.m. Every 15 minutes

10.30 a.m. to 11.00 a.m. Every 10 minutes

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NIGHT CARS as on Week Days.

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Extra Cars at 12 midnight.

SPECIAL CARS by arrangement of the

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Des Voeux Road Central.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON.

General Managers.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE

INSURANCE CO.

IF WHICH ARE VETTED THE RECORDS OF

THE OCEAN MARINE INSURANCE

Company, Ltd.

and

THE RAILWAY PASSENGERS

ASSURANCE CO.

TOTAL FUNDS at 31st December, 1911.

\$28,561,288.

—Authorized Capital 25,000,000

Subscribed Capital 24,600,000

Paid-up Capital 24,637,500

11th—Fire Fund 2,500,000

11th—Life & Annuity Funds 1,128,160

Sinking Fund Account 88,573

\$29,661,268

Revenue Fire Branch 2,500,000

Life and Annuity 1,128,160

Branches 430,195

Revenue Marine Department 243,692

Other Receipts 430,195

\$2,283,312

The Accumulative Funds of the various

Branches are separately invested, and, by

Act of Parliament, are set aside to meet

the claims under the respective De-
partments of the Company's Business.

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PUBLIC AUCTION.
THE Undernamed have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on
FRIDAY,
the 22nd May, 1914, commencing at 2.30 p.m., at their Sales Rooms, No. 8, Des Vaux Road, Corner of Ico House Street, —
A QUANTITY OF
TEAKWOOD AND VALUABLE
BLACKWOOD FURNITURE,
etc., etc.
Comprising as follows:—
TEAKWOOD—Dining and Drawing Room Furniture, Upholstered Arm-chairs and Sofas, Carpets and Rugs, Brass and Brass-mounted Bedsteads, Bureaux, Wardrobes, Washstands, etc., Sideboards, Dinner Waggon, Extension Dining Tables and Chairs, Ice Chests, etc., etc., Dinner and Dessert Services, Crockery, Sundry Glass Ware, Cooking Stoves, Kitchen Utensils, Cutlery, etc., Brass Fenders and Fire Brasses.
Also
Large Blackwood Screen, Wall Brackets, Inlaid Blackwood Trays, Blackwood Folding Chairs, Cabinets, Over-mantels, Side Table, Desks, a variety of Stands, etc., etc., and 2 New Sewing Machines.
(Full Particulars from Catalogue.)
Terms:—As usual.
HUGHES & HOUGH,
Auctioneers.
Hongkong, May 16, 1914.

PUBLIC AUCTION
THE Undernamed have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on
MONDAY,
the 25th May, 1914, commencing at 2.30 p.m., at their Sales Rooms, No. 8, Des Vaux Road, Corner of Ico House Street, —
A QUANTITY OF
VALUABLE TEAKWOOD AND
BLACKWOOD FURNITURE,
etc., etc., etc.
As follows:—
Teakwood—One Drawing Room Suite (English Manufacture), Dining Room Suite, Upholstered Arm-chairs and Sofas, Carpets and Rugs, Brass and Brass-mounted Bedsteads, Bureaux, Wardrobes, Washstands, etc., Sideboards, Dinner Waggon, Extension Dining Tables and Chairs, etc., etc., Dinner and Dessert Services, Crockery, Glass Ware, Cooking Stoves, Kitchen Utensils, Cutlery, etc., etc., etc., practically new.
Catalogue will be issued.
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AUCTIONS.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

PARTICULARS AND CONDITIONS of the letting by Public Auction Sale, to be held on **TUESDAY, the 26th day of May, 1914, at 3 p.m.,** at the Office of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor, of One Lot of Crown Land at Kennedy Road, in the Colony of Hongkong, for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the King, for one further term of 75 years.

Particulars of the Lot.

Boundary Measurements (Approximate)	Area (Approximate)	Area (Actual)	Area (Total)
N. 1/4 Sec. 10, T. 10 N., R. 10 E.	1.14	1.14	1.14
S. 1/4 Sec. 10, T. 10 N., R. 10 E.	1.14	1.14	1.14
W. 1/4 Sec. 10, T. 10 N., R. 10 E.	1.14	1.14	1.14
E. 1/4 Sec. 10, T. 10 N., R. 10 E.	1.14	1.14	1.14
Total	4.56	4.56	4.56

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LANCASTER HOUSE.
(Continued from page 2.)
But talking of Queens, when we turn into the Park round the Ritz Hotel we enter the Queen's Walk, leading close to the railings, at the back of the Arlington-street Mansions, by Stafford House to the Mall. But why Queen's Walk, the name which will be found duly noted in maps of over a century back? Well, because Caroline of Ansbach, Queen-Consort of George II., yielding to a bad habit of giving way to melancholy thoughts (though Heaven and her husband knew there was full occasion for it), had a pavilion built for herself where Stafford House now stands, about the year 1730, and filled it with books. Thither she went to have breakfast on a cold November morning in 1737, took a chill, and from it died on Sunday, November 20.

Who does not know the oft-quoted passage in Thackeray's "Four Georges" descriptive of the last scene: but its terrible tragic import is left half untold if the dying Queen's last utterance (according to Lord Harvey) is suppressed—"Ah, Mon Dieu, cela n'empêche pas!"
A VENERABLE PALACE.
Why was St. James's Palace built right out in the country? Because it took the place of a most ancient foundation, a hospital dedicated to St. James the Less, Bishop of Jerusalem, and, according to Tanner, the historian, built "beyond the memory of man and a name think long before the Conquest." It was a "spittle for mayday lepers," and, according to one of the old chroniclers, was "discreetly chosen, as it was dreary and lonely as could be desired for the isolation of its inmates."
In 1588 parts of this most venerable institution were found built into the present palace which owns King Henry the Eighth, of pious memory, for its founder. It was within its walls that Mary Tudor, his daughter, died, also in November, and is reported to have desired that no semblance of the Crown should be placed on her brows at her burial. It seems also to be fairly well established that the words about the name of Calais being given on her heart may have been really spoken. Buses and brambles grew where now is St. James's square in the 17th century, and the best roads round about there were about equal to farm tracks.

Now, however, visitors to the London Museum may be assured that if they approach Stafford House (now Lancaster House) by way of Cleveland-road they will find under their feet either flags of quite satisfactory quality or an admirably laid wood-block roadway of most indubitable surface; if from the Mall, they will find themselves on macadam, which it is believed leaves nothing to be desired but the ownership of a motor-car in which to traverse it.
When Bayreuth performances had but recently begun the secretary of the London Wagner Society closed a lecture on the now highly-valued Trilogy with the words:—"If you have no money, go to Bayreuth; if you have to borrow the money, go to Bayreuth; if you have to, anyhow, go to Bayreuth." Now for Bayreuth—read Lancaster House, for money read time, and then the cases are identical; use the time you have, eat and make it up afterwards, or even steal it, but by all means go and judge the London Museum according to what merits it may possess.

Its new name is a tribute of respect to our King as Duke of Lancaster; it emphasizes Sir William Lever's claim on the gratitude of his countrymen, whilst so far as house and museum are concerned, it will at once be apparent how noble the former is and we hope interesting the latter. It is the last acquired national asset, administered as free, practically without let or hindrance, its growth promises to be so vigorous that a second visit may well be repeated when summer is with us, in the certain expectation that new objects will "worth looking at—possibly over new rooms—will have been added."
London can never be exhausted—neither will it ever be without magnificent contributions to any good cause—let us then get its history and associations more and more into our thoughts, into our very blood, till we rightly recognize that of a society we are citizens of no mean city.

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WORK FOR EX-SOLDIERS.
It is gratifying to know that the work of the British Regimental Old Comrades Associations is meeting with much success. The principal object is to provide employment for ex-soldiers; no more laudable work could be taken up by a grateful country. It is pointed out that there are some 700,000 British ex-soldiers in or out of employment; and it appears that what is really wanted is to be able to say to any big employer of labour: "We can supply you with any number of men each with an exemplary character of seven years, many of whom are qualified in the various branches of trade." Such offers cannot be made by divisions or brigades, or by any one big association. The scheme of providing employment for ex-soldiers can only be dealt with by regiments which possess well organized associations, the heads of which are in close touch with the individual soldiers on the register, and the requirements of the employers who are in need of reliable men. The association formed two years ago by the King's (Liverpool Regiment) is at the moment, one of the most flourishing of those already in existence, and its work and financial footing are well known; it will suffice to say there are 2,400 members, each of whom subscribes one day's pay a year to the funds. To go into endless statistics as to skilled, semi-skilled, and other classes of labour does not bring us any closer to providing employment for the numbers of time-expired soldiers who are at the present moment among the unemployed. First find employment for those already on the market, then enter into the deeper side of the question, such as higher education, the training of engineers, superior clerks, artisans, &c. An effort to gain official recognition for the Associations seems to be nearing success, and a correspondent in the "Daily Telegraph" suggests that such recognition should take the form of the appointment of one or two officers with an office at the War Office to advise, assist and act as the head of the Associations. Years ago the ex-soldier was not always a success in civilian life. A different story can be told to-day. At present he earns every penny of his pay by not only making full use of his physical, but also his mental powers. His surroundings, his training, opportunities of recreation and leading a clean and healthy life are such that his chances are almost unheard of. Every encouragement is given to him to qualify (or a certificate of education, and few men now leave the Army without a third class certificate of education, and many are well qualified for second and first class certificates of education. Why is there this change? Is it due to the soldiers of to-day are men who look ahead, and prepare for the day they leave the colours. Then, again, there is now what is known as an "Employment Sheet." Every soldier who joins the Army is provided with one. These sheets are written up from year to year by a competent officer, so that on leaving the colours a man is able to approach a prospective employer with a report of his military life drawn up from the point of view of the employer, which at once enables him to decide whether or not the ex-soldier is the class of man he requires. If only employers of labour would realize the difference there is between the Tommy Atkins of thirty years ago and the Tommy Atkins of to-day they would be more ready to seek his services. Many a faithful servant of many a campaign has been released from employment because he had served his time, and has ended his days selling matches in the street or in the workshop. But now the regiments that have had the foresight and energy to form Old Comrades Associations, can place every man in immediate employment, and the result is that men look to such regiments with the full knowledge that their officers will look after them well, and not cast them aside when they are time-expired.

SHAKESPEARE TER-CENTENARY.
Commemoration Proposals for 1916.
In view of the general desire both in the United Kingdom and abroad that there should be a worthy commemoration of Shakespeare in 1916, the Centenary of his death, a meeting was recently held to consider the best mode of honoring the immortal dramatist, and to take preliminary steps for that purpose.
According to a general committee of representatives of the various Shakespeare Societies in the United Kingdom and abroad, the following proposals were made:—
1. That a Shakespeare Ter-Centenary Committee be formed, consisting of representatives of the various Shakespeare Societies in the United Kingdom and abroad, and of the British Academy, the Royal Society, the Royal Society of Literature, the Royal Society of Arts, the Royal Society of Music, the Royal Society of Medicine, the Royal Society of Natural History, the Royal Society of Agriculture, the Royal Society of Commerce, the Royal Society of Industry, the Royal Society of Science, the Royal Society of Education, the Royal Society of Religion, the Royal Society of Politics, the Royal Society of Law, the Royal Society of Medicine, the Royal Society of Natural History, the Royal Society of Agriculture, the Royal Society of Commerce, the Royal Society of Industry, the Royal Society of Science, the Royal Society of Education, the Royal Society of Religion, the Royal Society of Politics, the Royal Society of Law, the Royal Society of Medicine, the Royal Society of Natural History, the Royal 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BY TELEGRAPH.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

HOME RACING.

LATEST DERBY BETTING.

LONDON, May 20.
The latest London betting on the Derby is:—
13 to 8 Kennymore.
10 to 1 Brakelopard.
100 to 6 Carancho.
20 to 1 Carrickfergus and Polystrate.
50 to 1 Bransdale.

THE MEXICAN CRISIS.

MEDIATORS AT WORK.

LONDON, May 21.
Reuter's Niagara correspondent telegraphs that mediation negotiations in regard to the Mexican trouble have opened. President Wilson is in close touch with the American delegates by means of a special telephone line, whereas the Mexicans are only able to communicate with their government by cable. This has caused delays. The Brazilian Ambassador, who is presiding over the mediation conference, said he trusted that the hopes of the delegates will be realized, and the progress of civilization in the American Continent will not be interrupted by the disaster of war between sister nations.
A Mexico City telegram states that President Huerta has announced that he has authorized the Mexican delegates to the mediation conference at Niagara to offer his resignation if necessary to the solution of the difficulty.

News from Mexico City.

A telegram from Mexico City states that the situation is considered most serious, and a rising is momentarily feared.
There is great distress, and the rich are distributing meals.
There are reports of Federal defiance in towns to the north of the Capital.
Sir Lionel Carden, the British Minister, had a three hours conference with President Huerta.

A Denial.

A telegram from Mexico City states that Huerta denies that it is his intention to resign.

THE WELSH DISESTABLISHMENT BILL.

LONDON, May 21.
Seventy seven Nationalists voted with the majority in passing the Welsh Disestablishment Bill through its third reading.

HOME CRICKET.

LONDON, May 20.
Middlesex beat Sussex by 289 runs.
Kent beat Somerset by 193 runs.
Warwickshire beat Leicestershire by 258 runs.

OBITUARY.

LONDON, May 20.
The death is announced of Mr. William Aldis Wright, M.A., LL.D., D.C.L., Litt. D., Vice-Master of Trinity College, Cambridge, since 1888. He was a contributor to Smith's Dictionary of the Bible, Secretary to the Old Testament Revision Company, 1870-85, joint editor of the Journal of Philology and author of numerous publications.

ULSTER GUN-RUNNING.

An Earl Implicated.

LONDON, May 20.
Mr. Herbert Holman, an insurance broker, who is the prospective Liberal candidate for Mid Devon, in a speech at Abbotswick, disclosed that the Government seized two ships which were concerned in Ulster gun-running. The charter of one of these ships was an Earl, who would probably have to pay the value of the ships to the owner.

A POLITICAL TURNCOAT.

LONDON, May 20.
The ex-Chairman of the Ipswich Liberal Association, who succeeded from the party, did so because of the Insurance Act. He employs a thousand workers.

MR. ROOSEVELT AND THE PRESIDENCY.

LONDON, May 20.
Mr. Roosevelt has arrived at New York from South America comparatively well, though his weight is fifty pounds below the normal.

He denied that he was willing to run for the Presidency in 1916. He would not be "asked" even to accept nomination for the governorship of New York.

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BRITISH POLITICS.

RESULT OF A BY-ELECTION.

A Unionist Gain.
LONDON, May 21.
The result of North East Derby (Chesterfield) by-election is:—
Major Bowden (U.) ... 6169
Mr. Houlton (L.) ... 6155
Mr. Martin (Lab.) ... 3669
The result at the last General Election was:—
G. Kenyon (L.) ... 7725
E. Christie (U.) ... 5639
J. Scurr (Soc.) ... 583

Candidates' Comments.

Major Bowden said that the victory was a message of hope to Ulster. It was due also to his having given prominence to Tariff Reform and to his exposure of the Insurance Act. Mr. Houlton attributed his defeat to the split in the Progressive vote.

SLEPPING-SICKNESS REPORT.

LONDON, May 21.
The report of the Committee which investigated sleeping sickness urges the necessity for further experiment and research and deprecates, in the absence of any fuller knowledge of the disease, any drastic action such as a general destruction of wild animals in affected areas.

The report, however, advises the removal of game from villages along the trade routes, etc., and that permission be given to natives to hunt in prescribed areas. It recommends that the infected zone in Uganda should not be re-populated until further knowledge of the disease is acquired.

JAPANESE AND CANADIAN FISHERIES.

LONDON, May 21.
A telegram from Victoria, British Columbia, states that owing to the Japanese dominating the salmon fisheries on the Fraser River, a white fishermen's protective association has been formed in an endeavour to prevent the issue of licences to Asiatics. The Japanese have been underselling the whites and making an annual profit of \$200,000 out of the Fraser fisheries.

IRISH HOME RULE.

A NATIONALIST DISCOVERY.

LONDON, May 21.
The Nationalists claim to have discovered a great Unionist plan to bring Londonderry and other districts under the Ulster Provisional Government in the immediate future. In consequence of the discovery the Nationalist volunteers have offered to assist the police and military in resisting such an attempt, and have asked Nationalist members of the Commons to assure the Prime Minister that there are thousands of drilled volunteers ready to assist the forces of the Crown.

BRITISH COLUMBIA AND INDIAN IMMIGRANTS.

LONDON, May 21.
"The Times," in a message from Toronto, with reference to the approaching arrival of the Indian emigrants at Victoria, aboard the "Komagata Maru," says that British Columbians are determined to prevent their landing. The British Columbian Members of Parliament are united in favour of the absolute exclusion of Indians, Chinese and Japanese, and believe that no Government will resist the united demand of the Pacific province.

KEDAH AND THE FEDERATED STATES.

Questions in the House of Lords.

LONDON, May 21.
In the House of Lords, Lord Denbigh again raised the question of the petition received from the Regent of Kedah about which Mr. Amery asked a question in the Commons on April 7. The petition complained that the High Commissioner had virtually changed the constitution and integrity of Kedah.

Lord Emmott, Under Secretary of State for the Colonies, denied that any breach of faith had been committed or that there was any intention to drive Kedah into the Federation of the Malay States, and added that Mr. Harcourt, Colonial Secretary, had decided that the Regent must preside at the meetings of the State Council. In a despatch conveying this decision it was pointed out that the decision was in no way prejudicial to the integrity of the State, and the High Commissioner was directed to secure the Regent that there was no desire on the part of the Government for Kedah to enter the Federation. The decision was desired. The decision that the Regent must preside at the State Council was made solely because Mr. Harcourt considered it the best method of securing good government for a State in which his Majesty's Government was interested. On account of the Regent's refusal to preside.

BY TELEGRAPH.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

CANADIAN LABOUR PROBLEM.

EMPLOYMENT OF WHITE GIRLS BY ORIENTALS.

LONDON, May 21.
The Privy Council has dismissed the appeal case arising out of an amendment of the Canadian Factory Act forbidding Orientals to employ white girls. The clause was objected to by the Chinese Consul-General in Canada on the ground that it is unconstitutional and violates treaty rights.
The appeal case arose out of a similar amendment by the Saskatchewan Legislature, which in form was an application by a Chinese claiming to be a naturalised Britisher for special leave to appeal against the amendment mentioned. Leave was refused, the Committee holding that if it was doubtful whether the amendment was constitutional there were other more suitable ways of testing it.

FRENCH POLITICS.

LONDON, May 21.
It is reported that M. Doumergue, the Premier, resigns on June 1.

ANOTHER "BIRKENHEAD" SURVIVOR.

LONDON, May 20.
Correspondents point out that Captain Bond Shelton, of the Twelfth Lancashire, is a survivor of the "Birkenhead."

JAPANESE MILITARY MISSION.

LONDON, May 20.
A Belgrade telegram states that a Japanese military mission attended the Serbian army manoeuvres in company with the King.

CHINESE OFFICIALS VISIT.

MACAO, May 21.
As we announced yesterday, Lung Kung Kwong, military commander in Canton, representing his brother, Lung Chai Kwong, Tutuh of Canton, called upon the Acting-Governor of Macao.

He was accompanied by the Superintendent of Police representing the Civil Commissioner. The visitors landed at noon and were received with military honours at Government House. After dinner the party left for the Chinese Chamber of Commerce, and later in the day dined in Mr. Lu Lin Yuh's garden. The visitors left for China on the same evening and return to Canton to-day.

Police Apologies to Editor.

PEKING, May 21.
The Police Department has found that the Chinese Editor of the Peking Daily News was wrongly charged with disclosing military secrets, and has tendered apologies to him for his arrest.

Canton-Hankow Railway Officials.

From the twenty persons nominated by the shareholders of this railway the Department of Communications has chosen An Kang Chong as president and Wong Sang Ling as vice-president of the Company.

Customs Increase.

The Finance Department proposes to increase the native customs duties to 2 1/2 per cent.

Loan Group Approves Budget.

The representatives of the Quintuple Financial Group at their meeting yesterday approved the Budget drafted by the Finance Department and agreed to lend \$7,500,000 to China to enable the short periods loans due to be repaid.

STORY OF A RING.

Twelve months ago a Chinese married woman of No. 285 Queen's Road Central, was offered a single stone diamond ring by her servant. She took the ring to be valued and found it was worth \$200 and so entered into negotiations with the servant for its purchase. She offered her \$170, which was declined and later in the day she tendered \$180 which the servant accepted. The same night when the lady was in her bath the servant tapped on the door and asked for the money for the ring. As considerable inconvenience, the lady paid her the money. That night the servant disappeared leaving all her belongings behind. In the meantime the servant had substituted a worthless ring. Only three weeks ago the servant's address was discovered, and she was before Mr. Wood this afternoon on a charge of obtaining money by false pretences.

Mr. Fairbairn prosecuted and Mr. Holmes defended.
Mr. Holmes argued that there was no evidence to connect the defendant with the ring, and that the defendant was a respectable woman. The case was adjourned to the 28th inst.

BY TELEGRAPH.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

THE ALBANIAN TROUBLE.

WHY ESSAD PASHA WAS ARRESTED.

LONDON, May 21.
The situation in Albania is clearing somewhat.
The Prince suspecting that Essad Pasha, who was largely increasing his personal bodyguard and following generally, was playing a double game, sent gendarmes, under Dutch officers, with quick firing guns to arrest him.
Essad Pasha was eventually handed over to the Austrian and Italian naval commanders, who, meanwhile, at the instance of the Prince, landed a considerable force which is now guarding the Palace.
Essad Pasha is supposed to have encouraged the march of the armed peasants upon Durazzo; but this is uncertain.

LATER.
The Albanian Cabinet has resigned. Reuter's correspondent in Rome states that it is denied there that Marquis di San Giuliano, the Italian Foreign Minister, and Signor G. Giorli, President of the Council and Minister of the Interior, have left for Durazzo.

The Press is indignant at the arrest of Essad Pasha and his wife. The "Italia" declares that Essad favoured an alliance with Italy, and that the guns levelled at his house were Austrian.

The "Tribuna" expresses the hope that the Prince did not allow himself to be misled.

Essad Pasha in Exile.

Essad Pasha has been transferred to an Italian steamer and deported to Italy. He has promised not to return to Albania without the Prince's permission.

SPORTING.

INTERPORT CRICKET.

The Hongkong Team.

The following team leave Hongkong tomorrow by the English mail to represent the Colony against Shanghai in the interport match:
R. Hancock (Captain), T. E. Pearce, A. A. Claxton, Capt. Matthews, G. R. Sayer, R. A. Stokes, E. R. Macaskill, R. E. O. Bird, H. G. Bignall, R. N. Anson, K. B. Reed, D. E. Donnelly (reserve).

S. E. Green accompanies the team to represent the Colony at tennis in the single matches, and will be partnered by R. Hancock in the doubles events.

Hongkong Football Association.

The first annual meeting of this Association was held at the R.E. Theatre last night. Previous to the meeting the report of the Referees' Board was read. It stated that Lt. Jenkins and Bandaman Ward, D.C.L.I., had passed the Officer's Examination. The Board also recommended that Stokes, Tottenham, H.M.S. Rosar, be suspended until Nov. 30, 1914. This was confirmed. On the motion of Mr. Eger, seconded by Mr. Tyler, Mr. Hancock was re-elected President of the Association.

Mr. Frank Brown and Major T. A. Robertson were re-elected Vice-Presidents and Mr. Eger Hon. Secretary and Treasurer.

The thanks of the Association was recorded to Mr. Eger for the untiring energy he had displayed. The Controllers were re-elected, and a number of alterations in the rules sanctioned. The Referees' Board were elected as follows:—Comm. Bailie-Hamilton and Lt. Jenkins, Mr. F. W. Eger (22 votes), E. Tyler (16), A. F. Morris (10), Messrs. Bradley (9), Wilson (8) and Moran (7) were the other nominees.

Billiards.

VOLUNTEER CHALLENGE CUP.

The opening match of the Tournament took place last night at the Soldiers' Club. Private Bartholomew, Staff and Departmental, met Private Ship, D.C.L.I. "B" Team. Bartholomew started very promisingly, leading 60-30 and 100-00. Play was slow and not of a high order generally. Ship asserted himself after the 100 was reached, a neat break of 15 giving him the lead for the first time. Playing steadily he gradually increased his lead and ran out a winner by 20. Breaks—Ship, 13, 13, 12. Bartholomew 12, 14, 12.

The next game brought Pte. Davis, Staff, and D. and Pte. Brown together. Brown soon showed that he was the better player. He led by 16 and 30 and a splendid 33 break gave him a more convincing lead. Davis had a fine break of 16. Brown, however, by means of a 17 and numerous smaller breaks drew ahead, winning easily by 27. Breaks—Brown, 30, 17, Davis, 16, 16, 15, 14, 13, 12, 11, 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1. The last game of the evening was between Pte. S. and D. and Pte. Duffield, D.C.L.I. Duffield was the better player in the game, steadily going ahead to lead by 15 at 50. The Staff representative insisted his opponent by missing a easy opening. A break of 21 by Duffield to the 100 mark, the Staff representative led 30-20. The Staff player won 30-20. The Staff player won 30-20. The Staff player won 30-20.

INTERNATIONAL PETROLEUM COMPANY.

CHARGE OF GENERAL AGENTS.

In the Supreme Court this morning before Mr. Justice Gompertz, Mr. O. G. Alabaster (instructed by Mr. C. F. Mason, of D'Almeida and Mason) made an application on behalf of the International Petroleum Company Ltd., for an order confirming special resolutions, passed at meetings of the company, in effect appointing the firm of Arratoon Y. Apkar and Company to succeed Barretto & Company as general agents.

The petition came before the court as the name of Barretto & Co. as general agents appeared in the memorandum of association.

The petition showed that the Company was incorporated in 1910 in Victoria, Hongkong, with a share capital of \$1,500,000 divided into 150,000 shares of \$10 each of which 49,915 have been issued and fully paid up. The main objects of the company as set out were to produce, manufacture and deal in oils and oil products.

His Lordship took the view, on authorities quoted by Mr. Alabaster, that only the main objects of the association could be altered.

Mr. Alabaster submitting that his Lordship had power to sanction an alteration of the means by which the main objects of the company were carried out, pointed out that if a decision were given in the effect his Lordship had indicated, it would be binding on his successors, and would make the position of general managers or agents of a company unavailable. As a matter of fact Messrs Barretto had gone bankrupt and had resigned the general management; the company was without general managers at present, and if the order was refused the company could not carry on its business.

His Lordship made the order asked for in the terms that a further affidavit is filed.

HOME FOOTBALL.

THE ENGLISH LEAGUE.

FINAL POSITIONS AND POINTS.

	P.	W.	D.	L.	Pts.
Blackburn Rovers	38	20	11	7	51
Aston Villa	38	19	8	11	44
Middlesbrough	38	19	5	14	43
Oldham Athletic	38	17	9	12	43
West Bromwich	38	16	13	10	43
Bolton Wanderers	38	16	10	12	42
Sunderland	38	17	6	15	40
Chelsea	38	16	7	15	39
Bradford City	38	12	13	13	38
Sheffield United	38	14	6	17	37
Newcastle United	38	13	11	14	37
Manchester City	38	14	8	16	36
Manchester United	38	15	8	17	36
Bury	38	12	12	14	36
Everton	38	12	11	15	35
Liverpool	38	14	7	17	34
Tottenham Hotspur	38	12	10	16	34
Sheffield Wednesday	38	13	8	17	34
Preston North End	38	13	6	19	30
Derby County	38	8	11	19	27

THE CIRCUS.

A wrestling challenge has been issued by the Circus Management, to any man in the Colony to meet their champion, in either style, catch-as-catch-can or Greco-Roman, for a stake of any amount.

The management announce that they will shortly show a "refined, novelty act" entirely new to Hongkong. We have not been informed of the nature of the act, but were given to understand that it is something the likes of which residents have never witnessed before in this Colony.

Col. Bob Lowe, we regret to learn, is still in an unsatisfactory condition. The poisoned toe has not yet been amputated, and the doctors have not decided the matter definitely.

HEAT WAVE IN SINGAPORE.

Highest Shade Reading On Record.

A fact that has probably escaped notice among the majority of residents in Singapore is that on Wednesday and yesterday, says the "Straits Times" of May 15, the maximum temperature in the shade reached 97°, the highest on record, while in the open the maximum was 108.4 deg. Fahrenheit. For the past fortnight the excessive heat has been the topic of conversation, a noticeable peculiarity being the absence of the refreshing land breezes which at this time of the year temper the atmosphere and add enjoyment to the evening pleasures.

A number of representative and wealthy Chinese would visit the Panama Exhibition if they were assured the American authorities would not subject them to the personal discomfort and inconvenience of the immigration examination. The suggestion has been made by Mr. Sy Coy Bang, of Manila, that arrangements be made with the Washington Government providing for some kind of a pre-examination in Manila by the collector of customs, who should be authorized to issue a residence certificate which would entitle the holder to enter the United States without being subjected to the immigration examination prescribed for Chinese subjects.

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PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY

PROPOSED SAILINGS OF MAIL STEAMERS

MARSEILLES & LONDON.

TAKING PASSENGERS ALSO FOR

COLOMBO, INDIA, AUSTRALASIA, EGYPT, BRINDISI, &c THROUGH TICKETS ISSUED TO BOSTON AND NEW YORK.

Connecting Steamer	Leave	Leave	Leave	Leave	Due at	Due at
from	from	from	from	from	from	from
Yokohama	Yokohama	Yokohama	Yokohama	Yokohama	Yokohama	Yokohama
May 14	May 14	May 14	May 14	May 14	May 14	May 14
May 28	May 28	May 28	May 28	May 28	May 28	May 28
June 11	June 11	June 11	June 11	June 11	June 11	June 11
June 25	June 25	June 25	June 25	June 25	June 25	June 25
July 9	July 9	July 9	July 9	July 9	July 9	July 9
July 23	July 23	July 23	July 23	July 23	July 23	July 23
Aug. 6	Aug. 6	Aug. 6	Aug. 6	Aug. 6	Aug. 6	Aug. 6

THE ATTENTION OF Passengers is drawn to the Accelerated Arrival of the Mail Steamers at Marseilles, Plymouth & London. These vessels will now arrive in Marseilles on Friday & London on the following Friday. Arrangements are also being made whereby passengers by the P. & O. Special Train from Marseilles can now arrive in London at 3.30 p.m. on Saturdays.

Passengers change Steamers at COLOMBO, and those for BRINDISI transfer also to the Express Mail Steamer at PORT SAID.

Accommodation in the connecting Steamer from COLOMBO is definitely reserved in Hongkong at the time of Booking.

FARES TO LONDON AND MARSEILLES

1st SALOON	2nd SALOON	1st SALOON	2nd SALOON
Accommodation	Accommodation	Accommodation	Accommodation
SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE
RETURN	RETURN	RETURN	RETURN
297	239	291	233
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IN ADDITION TO THE ABOVE MAIL STEAMERS INTERMEDIATE (Non-Through) STEAMERS WILL LEAVE FOR

LONDON

CARRYING 1st and 2nd SALOON PASSENGERS AT REDUCED RATES.

STEAMER	Leave	Leave	Leave	Leave	Due at	Due at
Yokohama	Yokohama	Yokohama	Yokohama	Yokohama	Yokohama	Yokohama
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New Steamer These steamers call also at PORT SWETENHAM, PENANG, and COLOMBO.

FARES TO LONDON

1st SALOON 297 SINGLE 297 RETURN

2nd SALOON 239 SINGLE 239 RETURN

1st SALOON 297 SINGLE 297 RETURN

2nd SALOON 239 SINGLE 239 RETURN

FARES TO MARSEILLES

1st SALOON 291 SINGLE 291 RETURN

2nd SALOON 233 SINGLE 233 RETURN

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FARES TO MARSEILLES

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SHIPPING

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Under Mail Contract with the Austrian Government

MONTHLY FAST SERVICE TO TRIESTE (VENICE)

Via Trieste, Colon, Aden, Suez, Port Said.

S.S. AFRICA, 8,547 tons, will leave as above on 18th June at 4 p.m.

Superior accommodation for 1st and 2nd Class passengers, no extra charge for Cabin, Dining, and Stewardess. Laundry, Wireless, Telegraphy.

FARES: Hongkong-Trieste (Venice), 1st Class £20, 2nd £10, 3rd £5.

MONTHLY ORDINARY SERVICE TO TRIESTE (VENICE)

Via Trieste, Colon, Aden, Suez, Port Said.

S.S. NIPPON, 13,950 tons, will leave as above about 6th June.

These Steamers, of large tonnage, are fitted with unrivalled one class accommodation for 1st and 2nd Class passengers, no extra charge for Cabin, Dining, and Stewardess. Laundry, Wireless, Telegraphy.

FARES: Hongkong-Trieste (Venice) £45.

RAILWAY FARES Trieste-London. By Simplon Express.

Via Trieste, Milan, Stuttgart, Frankfurt, Cologne, Bonn, Paris, London.

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